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MERSA MATRUH FALLS

DESERT TANK BATTLE STILL CONTINUES

THE Allied Eighth Army has withdrawn from Mersa Matruh, the Mediterranean Egyptian port on the railway from Alexandria, 170 miles to the east, states a Cairo message of last night, following claims in Berlin and Rome that Rommel's forces had stormed the town in the morning. It had never been the Allies' intention to leave a force invested there, it was stated.

Confirmation of the withdrawal followed a Reuter despatch which said the Eighth Army was now meeting the full weight of the Axis armoured bid to break through to Alexandria and the valley of the Nile. Latest news of the present fighting is that elements of the New Zealand Expeditionary Force are taking part.

6,000 PRISONERS TAKEN

LONDON, Monday.—The Italian communiqué says: "Mersa Matruh was taken this morning. Overcoming the resistance of the enemy's armoured forces to the south-east of the place, the armoured motorised units of the Axis continued their advance to the east.

"In yesterday's fighting for the occupation of the entrenched camp a further 6,000 prisoners were taken. Thirty-six tanks and numerous guns and lorries were captured or destroyed. The Air Force took a vigorous part in the ground operations. Material stores and isolated motorcraft were bombed and machine-gunned.

"Two steamers were hit in the harbour of Mersa Matruh, and some ten others set on fire. Seventeen British aircraft were shot down in combat."

A special announcement from Herr Hitler's H.Q. says: "This morning the strong fortress of Mersa Matruh, defended by fortifications and a number of minefields, was taken by storm in the face of tough enemy resistance. Five thousand British were taken prisoner, and 36 tanks were destroyed, as well as a number of batteries. A large quantity of war material fell into German and Italian hands."—(Reuter.)

The R.A.F. Middle East communiqué states:—"Enemy concentrations of motor transport and tanks were heavily attacked throughout Saturday and Sunday nights by our bombers. Between Matruh and Sollum numerous large fires, many of them obviously petrol, were caused. During yesterday our fighters continued to carry out valuable reconnaissance patrols, as well as providing protective cover over the battle area."

THREE-DAY BATTLE

CAIRO, Monday.—Reuter's correspondent here states:—"The battle in the Egyptian desert, where the Eighth Army is bitterly resisting Marshal Rommel's bid to drive through to the Nile Valley, remains in a highly fluid state, with positions changing hands from hour to hour. For three days tank engagements have been raging on and off, while artillery columns have fought without rest. It is likely that terrific fighting will continue for some time yet before the position becomes clearer, although the battle must now be nearing its climax.

"The flames of blazing tanks and trucks flared throughout the desert battle area last night as the greatest non-stop armed clash ever known in Africa swept to and fro. Hour by hour grim fighting grew in intensity. The whole situation remains confused as mobile columns of both sides engage in a vast swinging battle over a wide area along the coast, where the 8th Army is meeting the full weight of Marshal Rommel's all-out drive."—(Reuter.)

U.S. UNEASY

WASHINGTON, Monday.—"The reported fall of Mersa Matruh, although not yet confirmed, has put observers in a sombre mood, and military circles believe that the main push through Egypt has begun. They expect air transports of gliders to start dropping paratroops behind the British lines at Alexandria, coupled with similar attacks on Cyprus and the Syrian coast. It is stated, however, that the terrain, especially around Alexandria, is unfavourable for mechanised warfare. Mr. Churchill's declaration to the Pacific War Council last week, that Egypt and Suez would be held, is considered to indicate that Allied power is poised to give effective battle. At the same time the fact that the Allies are fighting with their backs to the wall in some parts of the world is causing an uneasy feeling in America that production miracles by themselves are not enough to ensure victory."

HOW TOWN FELL

BERLIN, Monday.—A German High Command statement, quoted by the German News Agency, said that the assault on Mersa Matruh was preceded by battles extremely costly to the British.

"After the British rearguard had been flung back, the German and Italian tank army broke through the main enemy position south-east of Mersa Matruh and pressed forward to the great coastal road. In this hard fighting the British units sustained heavy losses in men, tanks, and guns.

"The badly-mauled enemy was split up into several groups, which were partly encircled south-east of Mersa Matruh and wiped out, and partly thrown back on Mersa Matruh. The ring round the town was closed and tightened in attacks by the 90th German Light Division and an Italian infantry corps.

"On Saturday night the enemy made several attempts to break out of the fortress, in which the British, besides sustaining heavy casualties, lost more than 1,000 men taken prisoners and much war material. In the early hours of Monday the citadel was stormed.

"The fall of Mersa Matruh was prepared by a surprise blow dealt by German bombers and dive-bombers. For twenty-two minutes high explosive bombs of the heaviest type rained on the town, which was filled with troops and war material, and on numerous material depôts in the harbour area. Fierce explosions and widespread fires started in the centre of the town and in positions on the outskirts.

"This evening German bombers again carried out heavy attacks on the supply lines of British units retreating eastwards. At El Alam, and to the west of it, concentrations of motor vehicles, A.A. batteries, and entrenchments were effectively bombed. The British had made this place a large munitions and fuel depôt, much of which was blown up."—(Reuter.)

NEW POSITIONS

LONDON, Monday. — Reuter's Special Correspondent with the British Army in Egypt, cables to-night: "After a moonlight battle on Saturday night between enemy tanks and Allied anti-tank guns and artillery, the Allied forces at Mersa Matruh were ordered to withdraw to avoid encirclement and to link up with the main British Army, which was falling back to new positions. Axis troops on Sunday cut the coast road east of Mersa Matruh."—(Reuter.)

BACON IS SCARCE

PIG POPULATION DOWN

By a Staff Reporter.

NEXT month's supply of bacon from the factories will be approximately 60 per cent. of the output in July of last year and 20 per cent. less than the supply in June this year.

Several factors contribute to a fall of between forty and fifty per cent. in the pig population of the country since last year, notably the absence of feeding-stuffs and the low price for bacon on the British market, now well supplied with Dominion bacon, which is cheaper than would satisfy the Irish producer. A third factor, which is exercising at least some effect on the situation, is the improved prospects for other livestock, which, in Great Britain and even in Northern Ireland, where the British price for bacon is roughly £1 per cwt. better than offered here, is resulting in an appreciable decline in pigs. Repeated discussions last year failed to bring any improvement in the price of bacon, and the best British offer was only 131s. 2d. per cwt. The slump in production was such by the end of last year that curers were drawing fairly heavily on stocks to maintain exports, and the Pigs and Bacon Export Commission last February banned exports. Since then the amount of bacon reaching the home market has been regulated by home sales orders, the latest of which fixes the July supply at 60 per cent. of the supply in the corresponding period last year. In order to fill that quota, the curers have to draw on stocks at the rate of 20,000 cwt. per month.

LIMERICK PROTEST

At a meeting in Limerick yesterday it was decided to send a deputation to the Minister for Industry and Commerce to ask him to take steps to improve conditions.

Mr. G. Judge, President, Pork Butchers Society, said that within the past two years pig production in Limerick had fallen by 60 per cent.; and 60 per cent. of their members were unemployed. A large factor in this was failure of the Pigs and Bacon Commission to fill the quotas allocated to Limerick factories.

The Mayor, Mr. D. G. O'Malley, who presided, said that he was greatly perturbed by the statement made by Mr. Stephen O'Mara during a recent Court case that the Commission had suggested to him that he should transfer his quota to Claremorris. This would automatically mean closing the Limerick factory. The position was not brought about by the emergency; it was a calculated, deliberate act of the Government, acting through the Pigs and Bacon Board. It was one thing for the Board to give a quota, but it was another thing for a factory to fill it. In an area where a pig shortage existed the Board had brought the law they made themselves into contempt, and had competed with the curers in the buying of pigs.

Mr. M. J. Keyes, T.D., said that since the Pigs and Bacon Board was set up it had marked a downward course each year in one of the country's basic industries. This was brought about by failure of the Commission to seek expert advice and the cutting of the price of pigs.

Alderman J. Reidy, T.D., said that the bacon industry was built up and flourished without the Commission, and would be better off now without the Commission.

CLOTHES RATIONING

CHANGES AND CONCESSIONS

Certain changes and concessions in connection with the Clothes Rationing Order are announced by the Minister for Supplies in our advertising columns to-day.

Changes in the coupon values for Mackintoshes and other rainproof garments apply only to rubberised garments and ladies' lightweight oil proofed coats, but not to gabardines or oilskins. These alterations concern the period from to-day till 31st December next. Householders are advised to cut out the advertisement for consultation in association with Leaflet C.R. No. 1, which sets out the coupon values.

A concession is granted in the case of men's and boys' suits and women's and girls' costumes (not containing artificial silk) ordered to be made to measure on or before 4th June, but not delivered up to 30th June. Where a trader so desires he may in such cases deliver the garments on surrender of approximately half the appropriate number of coupons. Garments covered by this concession must be delivered by 31st August. The name and address of the customer and other particulars must be posted to the Department of Supplies not later than 2nd July. (See advt.)

PRISON GOVERNOR SUED

MR. CAHIR HEALY A WITNESS

Judge Hancock, at Wandsworth County Court, London, yesterday adjourned until Thursday an action in which Frederick Bowman, editor and author, described as a pacifist, political detainee under Regulation 18 B, is suing Major A. Benke, Governor of Brixton Prison, for the return of 499 sheets of printed paper, value 12s. 6d.

Mr. Bowman was escorted by a warder, as also was Mr. Cahir Healy, M.P., who is detained at Brixton under defence regulations, and is expected to give evidence for Mr. Bowman. Both returned to Brixton after the judge had announced the adjournment.

GREEN CROSS FUNDS

Something like £10,000 to £11,000 had been subscribed by the six counties, and something like £300 or less by the twenty-six to the Green Cross funds, stated Mr. Denis McCullough, presiding last night at a meeting in the Mansion House, Dublin, called, he said, to draw the attention of the people of the twenty-six counties to the condition of the dependents of those who had been imprisoned or interned by the Government in the North.

Mr. Sean O hUadhaigh, solicitor, said that they could prevent the dependents of the interned men from suffering privation.

Mr. Eamon Donnelly said that they had 194 families to provide for every week, and in fifteen months £10,000 had been distributed among them.

Mr. J. J. Walsh, who also spoke, contributed £100 towards the fund.

LADY ADARE VISITING U.S.

Lady Adare, a member of the Central Council of the Irish Red Cross Society, has left for the United States of America, where, it is hoped, she will be able to establish useful contacts, and generally help in further strengthening the friendly ties between the Irish and American Societies.

DAIL PROGRAMME

Mr. Sean Lemass, Minister for Supplies, will wind up the debate on the estimate for his department this afternoon in the Dail, after which the second readings of the two bills will be taken. These are the Offences Against the State (Forfeiture) Bill and the Local Elections (Postponement) Bill. If further time is available the Emergency Powers (Continuance and Amendment) Bill will be taken.

The Senate will meet to-morrow to deal with the Finance Bill and the Electricity Supply Board (Superannuation) Bill and other matters which have been on the paper for some time.

COMING GENERAL ELECTION

FINE GAEL'S WARNING

A NEW Dail by the end of August and a new Government at the beginning of September—no other interpretation can be placed on certain happenings and the present mood of the Government, said General Richard Mulcahy, T.D., at a public meeting organised by Fine Gael at the Cross, Blackrock, Dublin, last night.

The Fianna Fail Party, said General Mulcahy, contemplated rushing a general election at once. The Dail was likely to rise on Friday, 17th July, and the electorate were likely to find the Dail unexpectedly dissolved about the beginning of August—approximately ten months before its normal statutory date of dissolution.

Consultation had never been a Fianna Fail strong point; it had not developed since September, 1939, and they must not expect too much from people whose sense of consultation and co-operation was so lacking. Fine Gael were not consulted about the postponement of the local elections. A glance at the map would show that, however the war might develop, the battlefields would never be farther away from this country than they were to-day. If because of anything arising out of the military situation no local elections were held this year, no local elections would be held in this country until the war was over.

In the Dail last year, when they urged the holding of local elections, Mr. de Valera told them they were living in a dream world; that local bodies could not be elected without the introduction of national politics, and members of Fianna Fail said that local elections would split the L.D.F. and L.S.F. It was, said General Mulcahy, nothing but an insult to members of the voluntary services to suggest that their ordinary civic responsibilities could not be discharged by them in as distinguished a way as those they had taken on in the defence services. It would be important to have a clear statement of what were the points of national policy in respect of which there was any danger either of splitting the voluntary defence forces or of people being "at one another's throats."

Both Fine Gael and the Labour Party, he said, have made it clear to every nation and to everyone in this country that on the questions of maintenance of neutrality and of resistance to its infringement they and the nation are at one. These matters have their unequivocal and complete support. The very circumstances of to-day gave a national opportunity of eliminating from local representative councils the spirit of political party, which by the events of the last twenty years intruded there. On the other hand, nothing could be more disruptive of their strength and solidarity than the feeling that for a party advantage the Government was pushing an election that people did not expect.

SUPPLY QUESTION

Mr. H. M. Dockrell, T.D., said that they were approaching a period when either a general election must be held or emergency legislation passed to prolong the life of the Dail. There was no National Government here such as they had in England. There has been a truce between parties, but Fine Gael was not breaking any truce or coalition in holding this meeting. They were taking precautions to warn the people that there might be an election at any moment.

Referring to supplies, he said that every one knew that there was shortage, and, in these circumstances, why did not some members of the Government go across to London. They would all realise how much better it would be if the Government would discard their policy of standing aloof, and, instead, go across to the other side and discuss frankly about the problems confronting this country. He believed that a lot of supplies which would keep many of their men and women in employment here could be got on a basis of give-and-take.

Mr. James Coburn, T.D., said that it was time the Government did away with the standstill order. He knew many employers who were prepared to give increases in wages, but were prevented from doing so. If the Government did not remove the Order the workers would rise and tell the Government that the Order must be removed, come what may.

RAIDS ON ENGLAND

Holiday-makers, who had ignored the Government's "no travel" appeal, were among the casualties in Sunday night's raid on Weston-super-Mare. Many visitors hurried home after the Luftwaffe's 40-minute attack, and to prevent a rush of sightseers all tourist traffic was temporarily stopped.

Though the raiders dropped incendiaries and high explosive bombs, and machine-gunned streets, the number of casualties was light, according to General Sir Hugh Elles, Regional Commissioner. A large number of shops and houses and a cinema were destroyed. Among the fires was one at a post office.

The German radio stated that the damage at Weston-super-Mare is more serious than has ever been caused by raids on a similar scale.—(Reuter.)

Raiders off a south-east coast district, shortly before dark last night, were hotly engaged by anti-aircraft batteries and driven off. The gunners at one point prevented two raiding 'planes from crossing the coast.—(Press Association.)

LINSEED OIL TO EIRE

Charles Berger, of Keys House, Dolphin square, Westminster, managing director of Lewis Berger and Sons, Ltd., paint and oil merchants, Linenhall street, Belfast, was fined £500, or six months' imprisonment, at Belfast Police Court yesterday, for having knowingly concurred in dealing in prohibited goods: 16 barrels of linseed oil. He was also fined £25 for having illegally exported six barrels of linseed oil to Eire. Frederick W. Clegg, manager of the firm in Belfast, was fined £100 for having dealt in prohibited goods, and £5 for having exported six barrels of oil.

Bail was fixed in both cases in the event of an appeal.

Mr. J. Steel, counsel for Berger, said that his client also had an establishment in Dublin. When linseed oil became very scarce he sent a agent to go round Northern Ireland and purchase from paint merchants any surplus oil they had in stock. He was in desperation for linseed oil for his Dublin premises, and applied for a permit to export the oil to Eire, but did not get one. Then he did a silly thing. He took the risk of sending oil to Dublin—not to make a profit, but simply to keep his business going.

The Crown Solicitor said that six barrels of oil were sent across the Border. Six were found at the road transport depôt ready for export, and six at Berger's premises in Belfast.

For Clegg, it was stated that he merely did what he was told to do.

Councillor W. Connor placing the chain of office on Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D., who was re-elected Lord Mayor.

CONSECRATION OF NEW BISHOP

MAYNOOTH CEREMONY

THE Most Rev. Dr. John D'Alton became the second President of St. Patrick's College, Maynooth, since the Most Rev. Dr. Mannix, Archbishop of Melbourne, to be elevated to the Episcopate in the present century, when he was solemnly consecrated Coadjutor Bishop of Meath and Titular Bishop of Binda at Maynooth yesterday.

The ceremony took place in the College Chapel, the Consecrating Prelate being Cardinal MacRory, Primate of All-Ireland and Archbishop of Armagh.

Church dignitaries, State representatives, prominent figures in the public life of the country and in the professions crowded the beautiful church for the ceremony. In the sanctuary, occupying a throne on the Gospel side of the altar, was Cardinal MacRory, while the Apostolic Nuncio, Most Rev. Dr Pascal Robinson, O.F.M., and the Archbishop of Dublin, Most Rev. Dr. McQuaid, occupied thrones on the Epistle side. Formerly the ceremonies commenced with the reading of the Apostolic Mandate from Rome, but owing to changes brought about by the war a special dispensation in its place from the Nuncio Apostolic was read by the new President of the College, the Very Rev. E. Kissane, D.D. After the consecration the *Te Deum* was chanted, and the new

Most Rev Dr. D'Alton.

bishop passed up the centre aisle, imparting his blessing.

An Taoiseach (Mr. de Valera), An Tanaiste (Mr. Sean T. O'Kelly), Mr. W. T. Cosgrave, T.D., and Mr. W. Norton, T.D., occupied special seats in the body of the church.

The assistant bishops at the consecration were the Most Rev. Dr. Mulhern, Bishop of Dromore, and the Most Rev. Dr. MacNeely, Bishop of Raphoe. The Cardinal's Chaplains were the Rev. James Duff, M.A., and the Rev. D. J. MacLaughlin, both of St. Patrick's College. The Deans of the College were in charge of the ceremonies.

THE ATTENDANCE

Other members of the Hierarchy present were:—The Most Rev. Dr. Kinane, Titular Archbishop of Dercos and Coadjutor Bishop of Cashel; Dr. Mageean, Bishop of Down and Connor; Dr. MacNamee, Bishop of Ardagh and Clonmacnoise; Dr. Naughton, Bishop of Killala; Dr. Morrisroe, Bishop of Achonry; Dr. Browne, Bishop of Galway; Dr. Lyons, Bishop of Kilmore; Dr. Farren, Bishop of Derry, and Dr. Wall, Bishop of Thasos. More than 150 members of the clergy, including the Provincials of various Orders, and eighty-eight priests from the Diocese of Meath were present.

The attendance included also Mr. Justice Conor Maguire, President of the High Court, and Mrs. Maguire; Monsignor Domenico Enrici, Secretary to the Nunciature; Mr. M. A. Corrigan, Chief State Solicitor; Dr. A. W. Conway, President, University College, Dublin; Dr. Alex McCarthy, Registrar; the Right Rev. Monsignor Hynes, President, University College, Galway; Professor Merriman, President, University College, Cork; Dr. D. J. Coffey, ex-President, University College, Dublin; Senator Professor Tierney, Professor Semple, Senator Barnaville, Monsignor J. Coughlan, C.B.E., Vicar-General, British Forces; Senator T. J. O. O'Connell, Dr. J. M. Meenan, Brother J. P. Noonan, Superior-General, Irish Christian Brothers; the Right Rev. Monsignor P. Boylan, P.P., V.G.; Major-General Hugo MacNeill, Colonel J. Joyce, and Colonel E. A. Lawlor.

CATTLE FOR BRITAIN

From to-day restrictions on the import of cattle into Great Britain, which have existed since exports from this country were resumed following the "all clear" from foot-and-mouth disease in October last year, are removed. It will now be possible for Irish producers to export supplies of young dairy heifers and yearling beef cattle.

With the object of controlling the trade and conserving feeding-stuffs by accepting only advanced stores, the British Ministry of Food last autumn insisted on the requirement that all stores entering the United Kingdom should have three permanent incisors—in other words, should be 2½ years old or upward. A relaxation in February last enabled the British importers to receive cattle approximately two years old.

The removal of the restriction is not regarded as likely to create any great immediate difference to the trade, the demand for stores being rather slow at present, and the ploughing up of ten million acres of new grass land in Britain is likely to appreciably reduce capacity for feeding. With stall-feeding available, the demand for stores from September onward is likely to be considerably improved.

The report that Sir Roger Lumley has been chosen to succeed the Viceroy of India at the end of his present term has no foundation, stated authoritative circles in London last night.

ALDERMAN DOYLE LORD MAYOR

SIX-VOTE MAJORITY

ALDERMAN PEADAR SEAN DOYLE, T.D., still is Lord Mayor of Dublin. He defeated the Fianna Fail candidate, Alderman Cormac Breathnach, T.D., by sixteen votes to ten, when the Corporation met in the City Hall last night.

Those who had anticipated a close fight were surprised. The Labour candidate, Mr. Martin O'Sullivan, was eliminated in the first vote, and his supporters, among whom was Mr. P. Belton, T.D., did not take part in the second poll. Alderman Doyle thus had a clear majority.

After his election, Alderman Doyle stated that, so far as he was concerned, personally, he bore no animosity to any other candidate. He appreciated the spirit in which the election had taken place, and was pleased to note that it was free from the repercussions that had been present at other similar elections throughout the country in the last few weeks. He thanked his proposers and all who had supported him.

Both Mr. William O'Connor and Alderman E. Benson, T.D., who proposed and seconded the re-election of the Lord Mayor, paid tribute to his qualities.

Mr. Eamon Cooney, T.D., proposing the name of Alderman Breathnach, said that the alderman had constantly and persistently advocated a system of rotation in this office; he appealed to the present occupant of the chair to "do the big thing" and agree with this system.

Mr. Bernard Butler, seconding the proposition, said that they had always found the present Lord Mayor to be fair. He had shown his fine ability throughout the past year. It was simply because their group stressed that there should be a principle of rotation that they were putting forward a different nominee this year.

Dr. Joseph Hannigan, T.D., put forward the name of Mr. Martin O'Sullivan, whom he described as "outstanding amongst the candidates before us to-night." Alderman Breathnach was a person for whom he had great personal regard, but could the Labour Party vote for him and hope that their action would not be misconstrued as overt approval of, and silent acquiescence in, the disgraceful campaign carried out by the Government against the community in general, and against organised labour in particular?

Mr. J. McCabe, seconding the motion, said that if they were to believe the *Times* the matter was already cut and dried. He appealed to the councillors to show that they could rise above party feelings.

The result of the first poll was:—Alderman Doyle, 16 votes; Alderman Breathnach, 10 votes; Mr. O'Sullivan, 5 votes. In the second poll, in which Alderman Doyle beat Alderman Breathnach by 16 votes to 10, the voting was as follows:—

For Alderman Doyle—Alderman Alfred Byrne, T.D.; Alderman Doyle, T.D.; Alderman E. Benson, T.D.; Mr. Michael Byrne, Mr. P. J. Cahill, Mr. Seán Milroy, Mr. J. J. Byrne, Mrs. O'Shea Leamy, Mr. John Cahill, Mr. Michael Staines, Mr. P. J. Medlar, Mr. William O'Connor, Mr. F. Burke, Mr. Thomas Byrne, Mrs. Mulvey, Mr. W. J. Colman.

For Alderman Breathnach—Mr. R. Lynch, Alderman Breathnach, Councillor Keogh, Mrs. Clarke, Mr. E. Cooney, T.D.; Mrs. K. Nix, Mr. W. J. O'Hara, Mr. J. Coghlan, Senator D. Healy, Mr. B. Butler.

Mr. J. Kiernan, Mr. Belton, T.D.; Mr. John McCabe, Mr. Martin O'Sullivan, Mr. T. P. O'Reilly, Dr. J. Hannigan, T.D., did not vote. Mr. James Larkin, Senator Matthew Stafford and Sergeant Tony Breslin were not present.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION

The possibility of an early municipal election, an *Irish Times* reporter learned yesterday, is being discussed by political parties, whose headquarters suddenly have become seething hives of activity. There has been no municipal election since 1936. One was due in 1939, but it was postponed, and, owing to the emergency, paper shortage and transport difficulties, the election has remained in abeyance.

A municipal election at this time would be a helpful feeler in regard to a general election—a possibility which cannot be discounted. If one should take place soon it would mean yet another contest for the Lord Mayoralty.

BELFAST CORPORATION

ANXIETY OVER NEW BILL

Thirty-one members of the Belfast Corporation—the total membership is sixty—passed a resolution, at a special meeting yesterday evening, requesting the Minister for Home Affairs to reconsider his decision not to postpone the second reading of the County Borough Administration Bill. Seven members were appointed to confer with him in the event of his postponing the second reading.

The resolution stated that the bill was revolutionary, and there should be free and frank discussion.

Alderman Neill, who proposed the resolution, said that the Council must now unite and try to secure agreement between the Corporation and the Government. He hoped that the Minister would not close the door finally on the question. Glasgow and other cities had been left to put their house in order. Belfast was prepared to carry out all the necessary safeguards.

BODY RECOVERED

The body of Mathew Fitzpatrick (16), Clonard road, Crumlin, who was drowned in Whitehall quarry, Crumlin, last Sunday, was recovered last night, and taken to Londonbridge Morgue, where an inquest will be held.

Five new cases of smallpox were confirmed in Glasgow yesterday, bringing the total number of cases dealt with in the city to 22. These include seven persons from a ship, two of whom have since died.

GERMANS NEARER TO SEBASTOPOL

DETERMINED OFFENSIVE AT KERCH

GERMAN troops have crossed the Chernaya valley and broken into positions on the dominating Saprun Heights above Sebastopol, threatening the city from the east.

The German News Agency stated last night that the Luftwaffe was concentrating its attacks on the fortifications in the Inkerman sector.

On two key sectors of the South Russian front, Kursk and Kupyansk, determined German offensives appear to have assumed a dual aim—the separation of Moscow from the Soviet's Donetz armies and the cutting of the military feed-line from Moscow through Voronezh to Rostov.—(Reuter.)

HEAVY GERMAN LOSSES

MOSCOW, Monday.—Reuter's Correspondent here states:—"Over 1,500 Germans were killed in one day of fighting on the Sebastopol front. Having concentrated several infantry divisions in the north-east the Germans are attempting to pierce the defences at all costs."

The loss of 50,000 Germans and Rumanians killed and wounded at Sebastopol during June was claimed by Moscow Radio to-night. About 200 tanks and hundreds of aircraft were destroyed, it said. The Germans are estimated to have dropped more than fifty train-loads of bombs on the city.

Soviet 'planes which attacked seven E-boats armed with anti-aircraft guns in the Baltic sank one and heavily damaged two, said the radio. All the 'planes returned safely.

"On the Kharkov front," said Moscow Radio, "the Germans tried to stage a feint offensive to divert attention from another sector, but the manœuvre was discovered in time. The Russians counter-attacked, and rolled the enemy back with heavy losses. One Soviet tank unit killed in one day over 1,000 Germans and destroyed 16 tanks. One tank crew alone destroyed four tanks. In two days the Red Air Force destroyed 40 tanks, 150 supply lorries and 14 guns, and dispersed and partly wiped out a battalion of infantry.—(Reuter.)

GERMAN CLAIMS

The German communiqué reports:—"In the fortress area of Sebastopol German and Rumanian troops, supported by powerful Luftwaffe forces, forced the crossing of the deep Chernaya Valley in a daring attack, and broke into strongly fortified positions on the Dominatg Saprun heights.

"In the fighting for the fortress so far, from June 7 to 28, 15,567 prisoners, 221 guns, and 462 motor cars have been captured or destroyed, 2,579 pillboxes taken, and 112,644 mines removed.

"East of Donetz, several local tank advances by the enemy were repelled and 15 Soviet tanks were shot up. During air attacks at night on stations and on the Soviet lines of communications 14 transport trains were destroyed by bombs in the region of the Upper Don.

"In the central sector the enemy, during successful operations by our assault troops, lost 332 prisoners and 900 killed."

SOVIET COMMUNIQUE

MOSCOW, Monday. — To-night's Soviet communiqué states: "During June 29, in the Kursk direction, our troops successfully repelled heavy tank attacks by the German-Fascist troops.

"In the Sebastopol direction our troops repelled numerous attacks by superior enemy forces. The enemy threw into battle new reserves. The enemy, at the cost of great losses, succeeded in achieving a certain advance. The fighting is exceptionally fierce. On other sectors no material changes took place."—(Reuter.)

GIBRALTAR RAID

CONFLICTING REPORTS

ROME, Monday.—All British fighter 'planes were destroyed and large fires started in Sunday night's raid on Gibraltar, state reports from La Linea. A number of British soldiers is stated to have been killed by one bomb.

According to a Vichy report, however, only 25 bombs were dropped, five of them "duds," and they destroyed one 'plane of the Liberator type.

The British version is that only three 'planes made the raid, and that when driven out of range by heavy anti-aircraft fire one was losing height.

The La Linea report adds, says the Vichy News Agency: "The raid was carried out shortly after a British squadron, composed of a battleship, aircraft carrier, two cruisers and a number of destroyers, had arrived in harbour. This squadron was escorting a big convoy, including a liner carrying troops, who were not landed."—(Reuter.)

WASHINGTON, Monday.—United States bombers raided Japanese occupied Wake Island, a U.S. Navy announcement stated today. The 'planes damaged the airfield and various shore installations. All the 'planes returned safely.—(Reuter.)

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2.25, 4.45, 7.5, 9.25.
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Con. 3.0 to 10.30 p.m.
George Formby in
"SOUTH AMERICAN GEORGE." Also Rochelle Hudson, Bruce Bennett in
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LATEST DATE FOR RECEIVING COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS: 11th AUGUST, 1942.
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LOCAL APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION.
POSITION VACANT: MATRON, CASTLEREA BRANCH MENTAL HOSPITAL, CO. ROSCOMMON.

Application Forms for and particulars of the above-named post may be obtained from the Secretary of the Commission, 45 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin. SALARY SCALE: £120-£6-£180 a year, with emoluments. AGE LIMITS: 25-40 years, with extension in certain cases.

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COIMISINEIRI NA nOIBREACHA POIBLIDHE
(Commissioners of Public Works).
NOTICE TO ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS.

Sealed tenders addressed to the Secretary will be received up to but not later than 12 o'clock, noon, on the 22nd July, 1942, for the Electrical Installation (T.R.S. Surface Wiring) at the Custom House, Galway, in accordance with drawings, specification, and conditions of contract exhibited at this Office and at the District Office of Public Works, Galway.

Applications for a copy of the drawings and specification should be addressed to this Office with a deposit of £1, which will be refunded on the return of these documents.

The Commissioners will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

GEO. P. BAGALL, Rúnaidhe (Secretary).
Oifig na nOibreacha Poiblidhe
(Office of Public Works),
Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin).
27th June, 1942.
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INCOME TAX.

Notice is hereby given that Mr. H. Long, Chamber of Commerce, Crescent quay, Wexford, has ceased to act as Collector of Income Tax, and that inquiries on Income Tax matters should be addressed to the Inspector of Taxes, Anne street, Wexford.
REVENUE COMMISSIONERS.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.

PLANT FOR SALE

Offers are invited for the Purchase of a number of new and secondhand items of Electrical, Motor and other Plant which the Corporation has for Sale. Particulars may be obtained on application to the City Engineer, 28 Castle street, Dublin. Tenders to be delivered not later than 12 noon on Wednesday, 15th July 1942.

P. J. HERNON,
City Manager and Town Clerk.
Dublin. 29th June, 1942.

ST. COLUMBA'S COLLEGE.

The ANNUAL SPORTS will be held on the MARLAY GROUNDS on THURSDAY, 2nd JULY at 3 p.m. Old Columbans, parents and friends of the College are cordially invited.

COMPANY NOTICES.

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Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Company will be Closed from Monday, the 6th July, to Monday, 20th July, 1942, both dates inclusive.
By Order of the Board.
REGINALD KNIGHT, Secretary.
The Linen Hall, Dublin.

FUNERAL
REV. R. NORTHRIDGE

The funeral of the Rev. Robert Northridge, M.A., late Rector of St. Andrew's Church, Dublin, took place yesterday to Mount Jerome Cemetery after Service conducted by the Archbishop of Dublin (Most Rev. A. W. Barton, D.D.). The Service at the graveside was conducted by the Rev. R. W. Weir, M.A. The following clergy were in attendance:—Revs. Canon J. Griffin, M.A.; Canon A. Cross, M.A.; Parsons, R. C. Madden, J. Blackwell, R. M. Neill, W. C. G. Proctor, J. E. Tomlinson, M.A.; A. W. R. Carrier, A. M. Watson, W. T. Greene, G. S. Nowlan, T. J. Johnston, C. Ellis, J. R. M. Crooks, W. H. Coulter, L. A. Elliott, T. R. Horan, A. C. Digby, A. H. Dowse, J. S. Crockett, C. A. Crawford, Canon Rudd, Paul Quigley, R. S. F. Jenkins, H. G. Forde, J. R. W. Fleming, G. S. McPhail.

The chief mourners were:—Mrs. R. Northridge (widow), Mr. R. I. H. Northridge, Mr. J. L. Northridge, the Rev. H. A. Northridge, and Mr. Douglas Northridge (sons); Mrs. G. A. Lowe and Miss B. Northridge (daughters); Mr. R. Northridge (nephew) and Mrs. Morgan (niece).

The Rev. R. R. Hartford, Archbishop King's Professor of Divinity, was unavoidably absent

UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

The Senate of the University of Dublin will meet in the Theatre of Trinity College to-morrow, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of conferring Degrees, and on the same day, at 12.45 p.m., for the purpose of passing Graces for Degrees *jure officii*.

The following candidates have passed the Trinity Term, 1942, Special M.B. Degree Examination:—Carter, Richard; Wade-Berry, Dermot George; Davison, Gwendoline Edwina; Dickey, Alexander Peden; Dobbs, Peter John Irvine; O'Neil Donnellon, John Desmond; Doyle, Michael Joseph; Faulkner, John Charles; Finlay, Samuel; Fitzmaurice, Mary; Fox, Joan Margaret; Greening, Rosamund Audrey; Greer, Robert; Griffin, Reginald Michael Joseph; Hamilton, Victor Hyde; Heatley, Robert McMurray; Hosford, Winifred Mary; Jenkins, Alexander Ian; Kane, Patrick Joseph; Leitch, Andrew John Craig; Lilburn, Robert Brian; Lusk, John Browne Hanna; Lynch, James Cyril; McAuley, Dorothy Mary; McBride, John Fergus; McCaughey, Samuel David; McGuinn, Richard; McKinney, William; McMillan, Esther May; McReynolds, William Campbell; McWilliam, Daniel de la Cherois; Marks, Hannah Maud; Rishworth, Miles William; Myers, John Moore; Neilly, Robert Bradshaw; Phair, John Anthony; Preshe, Charles; Stephenson, Frederick Alexander; Sweetnam, Robin Istvin; Neal Grove-White, Anna Maude; Wilkinson, Constance Elizabeth; Wilson, Helen Isobel; Wynne, Alfred Charles Patrick; Wynne, Thomas Laurence.

BAND PROMENADE

The first of a series of band promenade concerts given by the No. 1 Army Band, conducted by Captain J. M. Doyle, took place last night in the tea gardens of the Royal Dublin Society to the members and their friends. The programme—a varied and enjoyable one—included selections from Verdi's operas, Edward German's melodies, arranged by Robinson; "The Senfarer," a pastical rhapsody by Hayden Wood; and characteristic valses by Coleridge-Taylor.

Other concerts will be given by the No. 1 Army Band from 7 to 9 every Monday evening for the next three weeks.

LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Tuesday, June 30.

THE SUPREME COURT, at 11 o'clock. For Hearing—Phelan v. Kilkenny County Council (at hearing).

THE REGISTRAR OF WARDS OF COURT.—Before Mr. Donovan, at 11 o'clock—Fix security, A. O'Hagan and Son. THE HIGH COURT.—In Court 2. The Hon. Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy, at 11 o'clock. Action (to be mentioned)—Kenny v. Kenny. Summonses—Dunphy and anor. v. Walshe and ors.; Whyte v. Comber and ors.; Tuohy v. Lenehan and anor. In Court 6. Hon. Mr. Justice Black, at 11 o'clock. Action (and Motion)—Leitrim County Council v. Ballinamore and Ballyconnell Navigation Trustees.

JURY ACTIONS. In Court 3. Hon. Mr. Justice Hanna, at 11 o'clock—Donovan and anor. v. Coulter and anor. (at hearing) The jury sworn in the above case at hearing are required to attend in Court 3 at 11 o'clock this morning. In Court 4. Hon. Mr. Justice Maguire—Fanning v. D.U.T. Co., Ltd. and anor. (at hearing). The jury sworn in the above case at hearing are required to attend in Court 4 at 11 o'clock to-day. Unsworn jurors Nos. 126 to 250, inclusive, need not attend until Wednesday, 1st July.

THE TAXING MASTER'S OFFICE.—Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock—Wilkinson and anor. v. Fawcett and ors. Master Kennedy, at 11 o'clock. Ex Parte Taxations—Prendergast v. Murphy, D. D. MacDonald and Co.; Prendergast v. Murphy, P. W. Bass and Co.

THE EXAMINER'S OFFICE.—Before Mr. Adderley (Room 104), at 11 o'clock—Smith v. Jordan; Rowan v. Davidson; A. Graham, decd., Doran v. Clare. Before Mr. Greville (Room 103), at 11 o'clock—Provincial Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. O'Connor; Barron v. O'Kennedy; A. T. Walsh, decd., v. O'Connor v. Sheridan; Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Ryan; J. P. Martin, decd., Martin v. Martin; Companies Acts and Fodhla Printing Co., Ltd.; A. McCann, decd., McCann v. McCann; Battersby v. Wood; Lawlor, decd., Doran v. Mulhall; McDonnell's Trusts, McDonnell v. McDonogh. Before Mr. Murtagh (Room 108), at 11 o'clock—Sampson v. Nealon.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION, at Examiners' Chambers, at 93 Merrion Square. Before Mr. Grove-White, at 11 o'clock—Estate of Resmed Holding of F. J. Lucas, vouch. At 11.30 o'clock—Estate of J. D. Going, vouch. At 3 o'clock—Estate of Patrick Anthony, vouch. Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock — Estate of Andrew Loughran, vouch. Before Mr. Ryan, at 11 o'clock — Estate of Nicholas Cummins, vouch. At 3 o'clock—Estate of Resumed Holding of Elizabeth Cahill, vouch. Before Mr. Tyrrell, at 11 o'clock — Estate of Bryan, discharge ruling and settle schedule. At 3.30 o'clock—Estate of Beamish, vouch. Before Mr. Spain, at 11.30 o'clock—Estate of White and Flanagan, discharge rulings. At 6 Hume street. Before Mr. O'Byrne, at 3 o'clock—Estate of Becher (rent of Countess of Bandon), vouch; estate of Schomberg, vouch; estate of Montegle, vouch.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.—This day at 11 o'clock—Jurors Nos. 101 to 200 must attend. Absent jurors may be fined. Jurors Nos. 1 to 100 need not attend until further notice.

CIRCUIT COURT OF JUSTICE. Before Judge Davitt, at 11 o'clock a.m. Motion —Hurley v. Kane. Civil Action—Flanagan v. Farrell. Before Judge Shannon. Applications for Summary Judgment—Lecky v. O'Connell; Byrne and others v. McConnell; same v. Jackson; same v. Geoghegan; same v. Delany; same v. Reynolds and another; Roche v. Clarke; Henderson v. Stevenson. Civil Actions—Ryan v. Bowyer; Vaughan, an infant, v. D.U.T. Co. and another.

THE COUNTY REGISTRAR, at 12.30 o'clock. Taxation of Costs: Smyth v. Carroll; Stephens v. Moore; Doyle v. Balfe; same v. Weston; Staines v. G.N. Ry. Co.

KING'S INN LIBRARY.—The Library will close at 5 p.m. to-day (Tuesday), 30th June, 1942, and will re-open at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, 4th August, 1942 By Order of the Library Committee. H. Carr, Librarian.

ORDINATION

Yesterday, at St. Bartholomew's Church, Clyde road, before a large congregation, the Archbishop of Dublin (the Most Rev. A. Barton, D.D.) ordained to the priesthood the Rev. Richard Hanson, B.D., Curate of St. Mary's, Donnybrook, and the Rev. Daniel Clarke, B.A., Curate of St. Bartholomew's Church, Clyde road. Mr. A. E. Carry, B.A., was ordained deacon for the Curacy of Drumcondra and North Strand. In the absence of the Archdeacon of Dublin, the Rev. Canon E. H. F. Campbell, Examining Chaplain to the Archbishop, presented the candidates. The Rev. N. H. Waring acted as chaplain to the Archbishop.

In the absence of the Rector, the Rev. Canon Walter Simpson, the Rev. R. J. T. F. Macnechty, Rector of Killanne, conducted the Service. The Rev. Canon J. Purser Shortt, B.D., preached the sermon and intoned the special Litany.

Among the clergy present were—The Rev. R. R. Hartford, B.D., Archbishop King's Professor of Divinity; Rev. Canon Powell, and Rev. E. J. R. Tobias. Mr. E. S. Fry was at the organ.

HAIPHONG TO YUNNAN

A railway journey from Haiphong, in French Indo-China, to Yunnan, was described by Mr. F. H. White, F.R.G.S., at yesterday's luncheon of the Dublin Rotary Club.

Yunnan, he said, was in the news these days owing to its proximity to the Burma Road. The railway's vulnerability to air attack was obvious from the fact that it passes over more than 100 viaducts and bridges—none less than 50 feet in span—and through nearly 300 tunnels, whose total length is 15 miles. In his travels, Mr. White saw many interesting sights, such as—in the Burmese village of Pyin—a roofed passage from the house of the chief to the local theatre; women smoking cheroots at a Rangoon wedding, and a caste Hindu who refused the white man's help with a stranded bullock waggon because the waggon contained a cooked meal which would not bear the touch of pollution, no matter how remote. Mr. White's account of his experiences in climbing the Jungfrau, in Switzerland, concluded his talk.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—10, Matins. 4, Evensong.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—10.45, Matins. 3, Evensong (Boys' Voices only).

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	1.15	1.57
Evening	1.42	2.32

Irish Times

TUESDAY, JUNE 30, 1942.

Two Peoples

The American people are beginning to experience some of the inconveniences attendant upon war. In the near future they will be asked to contribute $6,000,000,000 of new revenue towards the cost of the fighting Services. As the New York Correspondent of *The Times* observes, even that very considerable addition to their liability is not enough; the Treasury asked for nearly half as much again, and the niggardliness—if one may use such a term in regard to these huge financial dealings—of the Ways and Means Committee is largely a matter of "politics." According to the correspondent, the members of Congress, most of whom hope to secure re-election in November, do not want to annoy the people by an extreme demand upon their pockets. They have held the bill up for what seems to be an unnecessarily long time, and, now that it has appeared, it is not so large as it ought to be. The correspondent suggests that this treatment is neither pleasing to the people nor satisfactory from the point of view of America's war effort. The people have no desire to be "spoon-fed." They want to know bad news, as well as good, and they resent the attitude of those legislators whose evident desire is entirely to keep them happy. It is a dangerous, as well as an unpopular, attitude. President Roosevelt is fully conscious—as, indeed, he has been for two years past—of the danger confronting the United States. He knows perfectly well that the democratic Allies are by no means out of the wood; if the victories in the Coral Sea and at Midway Island had inspired any false illusions, they have been dispelled by the past week's news from the Middle East. He has said more than once that, if the war is to be won, it must be won by the united effort of the whole American people—that every man, woman and child must put their shoulders to the wheel. Too many of the politicians, it appears, decline to agree with him—possibly because they regard him as being, unlike themselves, in no urgent need of re-election. They prefer to descant upon the tremendous efforts that American war production has made during recent months—upon the number of new factories that have been constructed and the number of old factories that have been turned to new uses. This attitude may have its virtues, but it is not calculated to put the people into the proper frame of mind for the prosecution of "total" war. To take an example from our own country, how much more seriously, and profitably, have the Irish people "reacted" to discomfort since the Government, a few months ago, began to tell them the whole truth about supplies?

The British people have ceased long since to labour under any delusions. They have been at war for nearly three years, and know exactly what it means. Not only has taxation risen to fantastic heights, but there is hardly a trace left of the peace-time fabric of society. Several millions of men are under arms in the various fighting Services; nearly two million more devote their nights, after a hard day's work, to training with the Home Guard, or with one of the numerous auxiliary services. Any citizen is liable at a moment's notice to be withdrawn from his normal occupation and transferred to some post where he might be employed more usefully. Woman are liable, not less than men, to these upsets; they are being employed in increasing numbers in munition factories, on the land, and in essential industries. The process of "calling up" new workers proceeds without cessation. During the week-end Mr. Ernest Bevin, the Minister of Labour, announced yet another shift of workers from industry to the fighting Services. "We have combed out practically all the trades in the country," he said, "apart from the munition trade; and the next big call-up will have to come from munition workers—young men." He urged the employers to co-operate with the Government. Naturally, many firms are reluctant to part with their younger employés, who are generally among their most efficient workers; and hitherto, as it appears, there have been too many appeals against the withdrawal of this and that operator. These delays, said the Minister, must stop. Every young man must be replaced by an older man—one too old for the fighting Services—or by a woman. Otherwise Great Britain may find herself compelled—as she found herself in 1918—to put men with only three or four weeks' training into the field; and that risk cannot be afforded against so formidable an adversary as the German Army. The men must be released now, with all possible speed, so that they may have received the maximum of training before the final clash comes; and every remaining civilian must be shifted from a less important to a more important sphere of war-work. This is a condition of affairs of which the United States has not yet dreamed—and, needless to say, a condition of which no neutral country can be fully conscious. Nevertheless, "total" war demands such a reorganisation; it is directed against every citizen, and must be resisted by every citizen. Germany and Russia know the meaning of modern war as well as England knows it. Perhaps, the United States will be spared the knowledge, but, if so, she will be extremely fortunate.

Hot Baths

It is recorded by one authority that the ladies of Queen Elizabeth's day customarily took two baths only in the course of their lives; one immediately after being born, and the other immediately before being married. The virgin queen herself, presumably, took only one, and that through no fault of her own. The maxim that "cleanliness is next to godliness" appears to have originated only in comparatively recent days. It is true that in the time of the Roman Empire the principle was virtually reversed, that the baths were the centre of social life, and that it was unremarkable to be a non-believer, but unforgivable to be a non-washer. During the middle ages, however, the desire for personal cleanliness faded from the fashionable mind. The floods of hot water which are alleged by some to have swept away the foundations of the Roman civilisation were kept sedulously clear of the rising stages of the last few hundred years. It is only in our century, indeed, that the daily bath has become a common place rather than an idiosyncrasy. Now, owing to the shortage of fuel, it appears that a readjustment must take place. Gas geysers and coal ranges are equally difficult to run, and even electric heaters must be used sparingly. In some districts bath-clubs have been formed, whose members meet at regular intervals, bringing contributions of fuel for the range, and then wallow successively in the water thus communally heated. In most cases, however, the householder is still obliged to rely on his own resources. The cold-bather, that objectionable hearty, whose object is traditionally said to be fame rather than cleanliness, has come into his own. He does not now bath in cold water simply "because he likes it." It is his duty, his contribution to national economy; and those who refuse to follow his example are not only effete and contemptible, they are the parasites of the State. So he can argue, as he bounces in to breakfast with his face glowing pinkly from his Spartan rite; and the confirmed hot-bather can do no more than scowl sullenly in reply, and ease his conscience by not calling for a second cup of tea. Hot baths have become a rare thing. The minor hotels of Ireland, which always have elected to treat them as an unwarrantable luxury, to be paid for as such, have obtained their justification. For the rest of us it is sufficient that we must bath one day a week (if we can) and go round with a feeling of prickly uncleanliness for the rest of the week. If we want comfort, we can think on the words of Eliza Dolittle: "I knew a woman did it every Saturday night; and she died of it."

SIR PAUL DUKES, who was staying last week with Prince and Princess d'Ardia Caracciolo, at the Island, Waterford, has returned to Belfast.

The Swiss Chargé d'Affaires and Madame Benziger were among those who were present when Dr. and Mrs. T. O. Graham opened their garden at Whiteoaks, Stillorgan road, Dublin, on Saturday last, in aid of the South Dublin Branch of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Andrew Knowles have returned to Doneraile, Co. Cork, from Dublin.

The engagement is announced between Captain T. E. Brownsdon, Political Service, India, son of Mrs. Brownsdon, Glencrutchery road, Douglas, and the late Mr. T. W. Brownsdon, and Junior Commander Margaret M. Kirkpatrick, A.T.S., only daughter of Mr. and Mrs John A. Kirkpatrick, "Heanorville," Princes road, Douglas, Isle of Man.

The engagement is announced, and the wedding will take place in September between A. Seymour Rice, M.R.I.A.I., Office of Public Works, Waterford, third son of the late George Rice, "Ingleside," Orwell Park, Rathgar, and of Mrs. Rice, "Stansted," Mount Merrion, Dublin, and E. Marie Moore, daughter of the late John Moore and Mrs. Moore, "Ocean View," Tramore, Co. Waterford.

The engagement is announced between the Rev. Stanley Gill, Chaplain to the Forces, Haltwhistle, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Stanley Gill, of Lemington House, East, Newcastle-on-Tyne, and Hildegarde Penrose Hildebrand, elder daughter of William and Mrs. R. Hildebrand, Hopetoun, Stillorgan road, Blackrock, Co. Dublin.

The marriage arranged between Charles Wilfrid, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Rorke, of Crossdoney, Cavan, and Eva Hutchinson, second daughter of Thomas D. Stevenson and the late Mrs. Stevenson, of 7 Ratcliffe street, Sligo, will take place quietly early in September.

The marriage arranged between Edward James Pim and Florence Emily (Tubby) Gick will take place at St. Canice's Church, Finglas, on July 14th at 11 o'clock.

Dr. Brian O'Brien has left town until August.

PHILLIPS-GILLESPIE.

The marriage between Noel Phillips, second son of Mrs. Phillips, of Mount Pleasant, Holywood, County Down, and the late Mr. W. Phillips, and Patricia Margaret Gillespie, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Gillespie, Folly lane, Armagh, will take place quietly at Saint Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, at 2 p.m. on Monday, the 20th July.

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BELFAST LIBEL SUIT

The cross-examination was continued yesterday in the Belfast High Court of Mr. John B. Hunt, editor, Northern Whig, Ltd., defendants in the £50,000 libel action, in which the Lord Mayor and nine other members of the Belfast City Council are suing the *Northern Whig* newspaper. They contend that they were damaged by criticism in connection with charges of maladministration, but the newspaper has pleaded fair comment. It was the seventeenth day's hearing.

Mr. Hunt, answering Mr. E. Warnock, K.C., M.P., said that, in his opinion, Councillor Dowling (one of the plaintiffs) was not sincere in expressing a wish to have an independent tribunal to investigate the affairs of the City Council. The whole wording of his amendment pretended to be sincere, but was not.

In a reference to the meeting of the Unionist Party which was held the night before the Council meeting on August 6, witness said one of the reporters rang up Alderman Lyle Hall, who informed him that the meeting was private. From information received they knew there was a conflict within the Unionist Party, and, although efforts were to be made to put an end to the "Big Six," they thought that the Council would not get that majority, and that, in fact, there would be enough Unionists who would vote on the merits of the "Big Six" report and not take the orders of the party.

CRUISKEEN LAWN

By MYLES NA gCOPALEEN

AIRIGHIM é (" bhFiad Briorend " go raibh sé ina) an focal " mumbo " in Laidin " monsterium." Fuaim sin, dar ndóigh, gur " people's theatre " atá againn i nAmharclann na Mainistreach.

Uaireannta bíonn rí-rá i dtaobh an amharclaíocht ocadna ins na tréimhseachain, ach drámaí a dhíltuighseadh ag maoidheamh go bhfuil meath tagaithe air tarcis bás an Yeatsaigh agus nach deagh-dhrámannaí is áil leis an-lucht stiúrtha acht son ráiméis a shaothruigheann airgead; tá sainnt an airgid go láidir i gcroidhibe an lucht stiúrtha, adeirid. Má's fíor dhóibh, ba cheart Amharclann na Money-struck do ghlaodhach air feasta.

Agus Taidhbhdhearc na Gaillimhe. Nach foghanta an focal " taidhbhdhearc "a chló gomhánach? Cheapfá go bhfuil seisear manach ard—mar aidhbhdha—ag seasamh i lár an ardáin. Mínaigh irda caola i mbreac dubha díreacha. Is eagal liom go bhfuil an cló ró-mhanach.

Tá focal amháin i mBéarla ionchurtha le " taidhbhdhearc ". — " Knightsbridge." An eol duit focal Béarla ar bith eile agus sé gutha le chéile ann?

Seo ceist bheag. Dá mbeadh cosmhlacht éaga (nó agus) ort, an mbeithea éagsúil? An mbeadh éagsúil ort? After death, one is reilgated to the cemetery. That's the place where death is the bás. Seadh.

Breis-fhocal

Rinneas dearmad, beagnach, an líne seo leanas a chur síos, ó tharla mé, amhail feirmeora, ag obair le punnáin. We don't know the name of the man in the moon acht tá Chas. sa ghréin, tá Niall sa spéir agus tá Darryl Zanuck imeasc na realtán.

Agus fós—

Lunatic — gealaighe slave.

Bhfuil Duais Uait?

1. An deifríocht eadar na focail seo thíos do mhínú go cruinn agus go baileach:

Siar agus sheer.
Lá agus law.
Bean na dó mBó agus Bann a Dream O.
Babhta teallaigh agus Botticelli.

2. Aiste do scríobhadh ar cheann amháin de na hadhbhair seo leanas:

Míleas Ó gCopaláin, a shaothar ar son na hEireann agus na Gaoidhilice.
Jeannie leis an ghiorrfhiadh éadtrom donn.
An tOr Dubh Nua.
Schacht mBuadha an Eirghe-amach
Airgeadais sa Ghearmáin.

3. Gaedhilg do chur ar an rann so:

" Dry the quick eye where death rains
boiled passion crazes the mind's walls;
time's tide flushes the heart's drains,
swells through and falls, true and false."

Mo Cháirde

Tommie Gomawh, fear beag atá folláin slaintiúil.

Neil May Gomawh, B.A., a dhearbhrathair abhíonn i geomhnuidhe breoite.

Seadh. Nuair fuair sé bás, deirtear go raibh slinn i n-easnamh ar dion Swift. CRIOCH.

"WHILE PARENTS SLEEP"
COMEDY AT OLYMPIA

This rather feeble farce will disappoint every expectation that may have arisen concerning it. That it proved successful for a while in another place will not even be able to make a reason why anyone should want to see it as, other than the possibility that it is. It may have been better played where first seen, and its essential vulgarity may have been given freer rein there, but on its production last night it is scarcely what Dublin should expect to be offered after all these years. Future historians of the theatre will probably find in it an example of the level to which the English stage at one period had fallen, but that is all.

So much for its merits as a play, which are non-existent. But as a piece for amusement only it fails from almost every standard which heretofore we have known. It is only with the greatest difficulty that it comes to life as a farce at all, and, but for the second scene of its second act, would have petered out in utter dreariness. There it is given a certain liveliness, but only by the use of a device so old that it could almost painfully be seen as such, even without its little bit of modern undressing. One does not expect the characters of a farce to be real people, but not infrequently the idiocy which the dramatist has to implant for the purpose of manipulating them does not prevent them from becoming likeable. Not here, however. They remain just idiotic.

To tell what "While Parents Sleep" is all about would be to tell nothing. For that is the kind of play it is. Two sets of young people go out for the night and, returning home in the small hours, produce between them a bit of forced hilarity. There is just a little clearing-up to be done next morning, and the end comes on a home-keeping note which is too swiftly incredible.

It cannot be said that the playing succeeded in making the play any better than it really is. Diana Romney, who, unfortunately, is so often seen in parts that do not match her fine ability, did her best, but one did not feel any conspicuous effort from the others.

The production is by Carl F. Clopet.

D. J. GILTINAN'S NEW PLAY

In the early stages of D. J. Giltinan's new play, presented at the Gaiety, it was difficult to decide what course it was going to take. At first it looked as if the idea were yet another development of the farm-parlour drama, complete with the younger son at the university. But we are warned on the programme that it is a piece with a dramatic angle. The first act is inclined to be slow, with a certain amount of unnecessary talking which is inclined to confuse the playwright's intentions. However, later on things improve, and at the end of Act II. and during Act III. dramatic effect was good. The plot unfolds itself as a conflict between members of the medical profession and a "faith-healer," in the person of the brother of one of the doctors, who has been unable to take his medical degree, fancies himself as an instinctive healer.

Laurence Elyan, who has become a familiar figure to Dublin audiences since his success in Paul Vincent Carroll's play, "The Strings Are False," does a very different *rôle* in "Bitter Rue," as the elderly country practitioner. It is not so spectacular as that of the Jew, and does not give him so much scope, but he gives a quietly competent portrayal, which is all he could do with the available material. W. O'Gorman, as the disappointed younger son, who takes to "quack" methods, has most of the burden of the piece to bear. Others in the cast are:—Cathleen Delany, of Longford Productions; J. Winter, Anne Pennahallow, Cathleen Fawsitt, Seamus Healy, Florence Lynch and Martin Conboy.

OTHER THEATRES

The Royal.—At the Theatre Royal last night was produced "Everybody's Music." This is the eleventh dip in the "Bag," and right good entertainment it made. Renée Flynn led the star cast in which she appeared with Danny Campbell and the Royal Orchestra for a melodious background and musical descriptive. Freddie Doyle, the popular musical comedy juvenile, filled a good part, and Noel Purcell and Cecil Sheridan, comedians, with the old-time Royal favourite, Jack Harrington, featured the comedy side. The "Double or Nothing" sch. compered by Eddie Byrne, proved excellent fun, to which Noel Purcell added a special gusto. The Royal Vioolettes danced some picturesque numbers, which won warm applause. The film this week is a full-bodied story of an early gold rush in the Western States, entitled "Bad Lands of Dakota." The—The revival of "Autumn" at the Gate Theatre last night was, if anything, more successful than its first presentation last season. As a London drawing-room comedy it surprises occasionally by some modern twists and spirals, as a matter of fact, it was adapted by Margaret Kennedy and Gregory Ratoff from the Russian original of Ilya Surguchev. Newcomers to the cast were Rosita Chancellor, who plays the part of Monica Brooke, could scarcely be bettered, and Mr. T. St. John Barry, as the effete young R.C. and Mr. Patrick Perrott. The play is produced by Hamlyn Benson and Maurice O'Brien, under the management of Mr. O'Brien.

Abbey.—The revival of "The Jailbird" that perennial favourite by George Shiels, proved a happy re-opening for the Abbey last evening after the summer vacation. The performance was well attended.

Queen's.—Jim Jonson is the prime mover in the f

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

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BIRTHS.

FISHER—May 30, 1942, to Audrey, wife of Walter Henry Fisher, "Springmount," Raphoe road, Crumlin, a son.

HEALY—June 22, 1942, at 13 Lower Hatch street, to Hope (*nee* Ferguson) and William Healy, of 3 Nutley lane, Donnybrook, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

ARMSON and REDDING—June 20, 1942, at Christ Church, Deer Park, Toronto, by the Rev. Canon H. F. D. Woodcock, John David, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Armson, Winnipeg, Manitoba, to Frances Mary, second daughter of Thomas and Elsie Redding, Attyconnor, Kilbeggan, Westmeath.

McWILLIAM and MEARNS—June 24, 1942, at the Chapel of the Resurrection, by the Rev. R. S. Breene, M.A., LL.D., William A., elder son of Mr. William A. McWilliam, Castleton Gardens, Belfast, and the late Mrs. McWilliam, to Rhona, second daughter of the late Mr. George Mearns and Mrs. Mearns, Bachelor's Walk, Lisburn.

NEWCOMBE and GURDELL—June 3, 1942, at Otley, Yorkshire, Benjamin Clockworthy Newcombe (Mod. B.A., T.C.D., only son of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Newcombe, The Anchorage, Howth, to Hazel, second daughter of Mr. F. Curdell and the late Mrs. Curdell, of West View, Langton road, Norton, Malton, Yorkshire.

DEATHS.

ACHESON—June 13, 1942, on active service in India, Ronald Weston, dearly-loved second son of Lilias and the late William Acheson, Edenderry, Offaly.
"Thou wilt keep him in Perfect Peace."

BARNETT—June 29, 1942, at Windgates, Bray, Noleen Barnett, ever-loving daughter of L. and R. Barnett, late of Lincluden Parade, Dublin. Funeral Service at St. George's, Temple street, at 11.15 a.m., to-morrow (Wednesday), thence Mount Jerome.

DUNBAR—June 29, 1942, at her residence, 47 Broughton street, Dundalk, Mrs. Mary Dunbar. Funeral to Chapelizod Cemetery to-day (Tuesday) at 2.30.

ECCLES—June 26, 1942, at Worthing, after a short illness, Eleanora Frances, widow of Robert John Eccles, and beloved mother of Muriel Cook and Mildred Moore.

FLANAGAN—June 28, 1942, at her residence, Patrick street, Portarlington, Elizabeth Flanagan. Funeral to Emo from St. Michael's Church, 2 p.m., to-day (Tuesday).

HATTON—June 29, 1942, at her residence, Crumlin Village, Dublin, Rosanna, beloved wife of William T. Hatton. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and family. Funeral arrangements later. R.I.P.

IRWIN—June 29, 1942, at Barrington's Hospital, Mary B. Irwin, beloved wife of John H. Irwin, Belvoir Park, N.C.R., Limerick. Deeply regretted by her family and friends. Funeral to-day (Tuesday), at 3 p.m., from Trinity Church to St. Mary's Cathedral.

KELLY—June 29, 1942, at a Dublin hospital, John Joseph, dearly-loved husband of Anna M. Kelly, 85 West street, Drogheda. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains were removed to St. Peter's Church, Drogheda, yesterday (Monday) evening. Requiem Mass to-day (Tuesday) at 10.30 a.m. Funeral immediately afterwards to Calvary Cemetery.

McGONIGAL—Killed in action in Libya on 17th November, 1941, Eoin Christopher McGonigal, Royal Ulster Rifles, Parachute Lieutenant, Special Air Service Brigade, aged 20 years, dearly-loved, youngest son of Judge and Mrs. McGonigal, 6 Windsor Gardens, Belfast. No mourning, by his special wish. R.I.P.

McKEE—Killed in action, 18th April, 1942, Ian Ernest Coote McKee, 2nd Lieut., Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, much-loved younger son of the late Rev. Ernest J. McKee, LL.D., Bray, Co. Wicklow, and of Mrs. McKee, Fern-Royd, 107 Malone avenue, Belfast, aged 22 years.

McMULLEN—June 29, 1942, at his residence, 203 Mount Prospect avenue, Dollymount (also of 11 Talbot street), Bernard McMullen, dearly-loved husband of Isabella McMullen. Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday), 1st July, 9 a.m.; arriving Dean's Grange 10 a.m.

NIXON—June 29, 1942, at Seamount Nursing Home, Salthill, Galway, Arthur George, only son of the Archdeacon of Tuam and Mrs. Nixon, Hollymount, Co. Mayo. Funeral (private) from St. Nicholas' Collegiate Church to Galway Cemetery.

PARKER—June 29, 1942, at Palmerston, Mrs. Mary Parker, late of 43 Cherryfield avenue, in her 83rd year. Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday), arriving Mount Jerome 12 o'clock.

PRATT WIGHT—June 23, 1942, at Rockfort, Dundonald, Belfast, Rupert Dudley (late 7th London Territorial Regiment and R.A.F.), beloved husband of Margarita Pratt Wight, second son of H. Pratt Wight.

VERSCHOYLE—June 23, 1942, at a nursing home in Bath, Mrs. Verschoyle, aged 97, widow of the late Rev. H. S. Verschoyle, of Cashelshanaghan, Co. Donegal, passed away peacefully in sleep.

WILKIN—June 29, 1942, at 22 Harcourt terrace, Dublin, Mary, daughter of the late George Wilkin, of Armagh.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found in Page 2.

IN MEMORIAM.

DILLON—Cherished memories of a dear, good husband and father, Arthur Marsh, called Home suddenly on the 30th June, 1941, late of St. Lawrence road, Clontarf, and Pembroke, Carlow. Sadly missed by his loving wife and daughters at 74 Hamilton road, Taunton. "To live in the hearts of those he loved is not to die."

KELLY—Tenth Anniversary—Eucharistic Heart of Jesus, have mercy on the soul of my beloved husband, John, who died June 30th, 1932, late of 27 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin. Masses offered. R.I.P. "Too dearly loved to be ever forgotten." —Aggie.

KELLY—Tenth Anniversary—In remembrance of my brother, John, who died June 30th, 1932. R.I.P.—Dene.

SPARLING (Scarriff)—First Anniversary—In fond remembrance of George Frederick (George), called Home June 30th, 1941. Inserted by his loving wife, Nancy.

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Jervis Street Hospital.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses M. A. Fitzpatrick, E. E. B. Gannon, M. K. McEnnis. Final Candidates—Misses N. M. Barrett, M. Carey, M. A. Doddy, Sr. M. G. Doyle, Misses S. V. Flanagan, M. M. Hinches, S. V. Lahor, M. N. Roche, M. C. Sisters.

Mater Misericordiæ Hospital.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses K. Barrett, A. C. C. Brennan, B. Cahill, M. M. Coffey, M. J. Connolly, C. M. Darcey, W. Daly, M. Dowling, B. T. Dwyer, B. Foley, A. T. Godfrey, K. Kelly, M. Lillis, M. M. Malone, B. M. Matthews, C. Meade, P. J. D. Moore, R. T. Murray, E. O'Connor, M. O'Dea, K. Rafferty, M. J. Ring, Sister M. A. Robinson, Misses P. M. Scally, M. T. Wims, M. B. Young. Final Candidates—Misses M. M. Brady, M. B. Burke, N. T. Carroll, C. M. Crowley, B. Donnelly, C. R. Gilfillan, B. F. O'Gilroy, J. A. Gleeson, M. P. Keenan, B. T. Howlett, M. Malley, M. D. Manahan, M. V. Mannion, M. T. Murphy, N. T. O'Connor, B. O'Keeffe, E. M. O'Rourke, J. P. Power, M. P. Power, M. J. Ramsbottom, M. C. Stack, A. Whelan.

Meath Hospital, Dublin.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses M. J. Daly, D. B. Egan, S. O'Dowd, R. M. Smith, J. V. Sof. Final Candidates—Misses S. V. Devine, E. Hennessy, M. Kinsella, R. M. Larkin, N. McDermott, M. J. McHale, K. M. Quinn.

Mercer's Hospital.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses M. P. Barlow, A. G. T. Donnelly, A. M. Duignan, M. C. Flaherty, M. F. Molloy, M. O'Sullivan. Final Candidates—Misses K. Carbery, B. M. Casey, A. B. Conroy, M. M. Doyle, M. Kissane, K. P. Lapram, E. P. Rooney, A. B. Twomey.

Richmond, Whitworth and Hardwicke Hospitals.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses R. Armstrong, E. Cahill, R. McManus, E. O'Connell, M. Power, M. B. Sullivan. Final Candidates—Misses M. E. Codey, B. E. Culligan, N. T. Fallon, M. M. Grady, M. P. Hynes, M. L. McCauley, B. Moylan, M. J. Nolan, J. Normoyle, N. B. O'Donoghue, M. O'Dowd, J. M. O'Neill, K. M. Ryan, A. M. Smith, N. Vesey. Final Fever Candidates—Misses C. Corry, B. Leahy, C. M. MacNulty, E. F. O'Connell, M. T. O'Quigley.

Royal City of Dublin Hospital.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses M. J. Deutsch, J. Huxley, A. Lyng, M. P. McCormick, M. E. O'Dwyer. Final Candidates—Misses N. Brennan, C. Conroy, M. Dunne, E. Fagan, M. Foynes, M. M. Hoyne, T. O'Shaughnessy, M. C. Rice.

Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital.—Final Candidates—Misses M. Barry, M. J. Fagan, K. Green, M. G. Hanley, M. P. Kenny, M. Kerr, C. McCormack, E. J. Molloy, D. M. Woodward.

St. Vincent's Hospital.—Preliminary Candidate—Miss A. R. Cosgrave. Final Candidates—Misses B. Brennock, M. Condon, M. Conlon, C. Deady, A. Delaney, M. B. Gilfillan, A. M. Hever, M. B. Hogan, C. Larkin, M. J. Mullen, F. O'Connor, C. O'Donohoe, M. Travers, Sister Mary Mel Treacy.

Drumcondra Hospital.—Preliminary Candidate—Miss M. A. Giblin. Final Candidate—A. Richardson. Final Candidate—Miss M. Brady.

St. Mary's Open-Air Hospital, Cappagh.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses M. Canning, M. J. Craughwell, C. Daly, M. R. Finnegan, O. M. Fitzsimons, M. C. Lenihan, M. Ronayne, A. Ryan, M. M. Ryan.

Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital, Dun Laoghaire.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses J. Conroy, B. Curley, M. M. Irwin, K. P. McGoldrick.

Temple Street Children's Hospital, Dublin.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses M. T. Daly, B. Darcy, A. A. D. Kelly, B. M. McShortall, M. T. Moloney, E. E. Ryan. Final Candidates—Misses E. Hennessy, R. M. Kilgariff, A. Mackey, E. P. Morrissey, B. M. Murphy, M. Pigott.

National Children's Hospital, Dublin.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses N. Comyn and E. Rafferty. Final Candidates—Misses M. M. J. F. Byrne, M. E. B. Griffin, M. M. Hillis, M. Mangan.

Cork Street Fever Hospital, Dublin.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses K. A. Gilligan, B. C. Mahon, J. Power. Final Candidates—Misses M. Cuddihy, M. Cullinane, E. Flanagan, M. K. Gorman, N. Hanly, M. T. Loughnane, M. McHugh, C. Monin, M. O'Connor, M. O'Hagan, M. K. Rowland, A. Scully, M. A. A. Teehan, A. A. Walshe.

Central Hospital, Galway.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses B. A. Burke, P. B. Burke, D. Curran, C. Donnelly, M. M. Gallagher, R. A. Heanigan, A. C. Keane, R. A. Monahan, M. P. Newell, N. C. Prunty, E. G. Walsh. Final Candidate—Miss G. Quinn. Final Fever Candidates—Misses M. P. Byrne, M. Costello.

Barrington's Hospital, Limerick.—Final Candidate—Miss A. M. O'Rourke.

St. John's Hospital, Limerick.—Final Candidate—Sr. Mary Cyril Devine.

County Hospital, Waterford, and County and City Infirmary, Waterford.—Preliminary Candidate—Miss M. M. Butler. Final Candidates—Misses A. Curran, E. Keating.

County Hospital, Wexford, and Mercy Hospital, Cork.—Preliminary Candidate—Sr. Mary Vincent Murphy.

Mercy Hospital, Cork.—Preliminary Candidates—Sisters Mary Cecilia Ahearne, Mary Dorothea Rogue, Mary Patrick Harrington, Romanus O'Mahony.

Mercy Hospital, Cork.—Preliminary Candidates—Sisters St. Angela Buckley, Cyril Donnelly, Mary Aquinas Prendergast. Final Candidates—Sisters Mary Benignus Collins, Mary Julianus Fitzgerald, Mary Chrysostom Gahan, Mary Michael Grace, Mary Carmel Hunt, Mary Antonine Ryan, Mary Francis Spain.

North Charitable Infirmary, Cork.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses E. M. Boylan, M. B. Broderick, E. Horgan, S. M. O'Driscoll, M. O'Gorman, M. O'Sullivan, J. A. Ross. Final Candidates—Sr. Theresa Cosy, Misses K. Hynes and M. T. McCarthy. Sr. Patricia O'Donnell, Miss C. N. O'Sullivan, Sr. Veronica Quinn, Miss J. B. Riordan.

South Charitable Infirmary, Cork.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses M. J. Cagney, M. Kiely, M. J. Moloney, E. Nolan, J. Stack, J. F. Walsh. Final Candidates—Misses C. Brodie, M. C. O'Shea.

South Cork County Hospital.—Preliminary Candidates—Misses A. Collins, B. T. Keane, A. M. McNamara, M. M. Murphy, E. B. White. Final Candidates—Misses M. Barry, M. Dudley, M. M. O'Brien, U. H. O'Leary, E. Reidy. Final Fever Candidates—Misses S. Dennehy, M. Donovan, M. Dwyer, M. M. Griffin, Sisters Mary Josephine McNabola, Mary Fabian Moran, Mary Plannan Stephens, Kristine Sursen, Mrs. E. E. Bennett, Miss J. Moran.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY

The following additional amounts have been received towards the Dublin Hospital Sunday Fund:—

Abbey Presbyterian	£105	0	0
Merrion Hall	£88	11	5
Zion Church, Rathgar	42	16	11
Parish of Arevstrong	39	19	4
Kingstown Presbyterian	20	0	0
Abbeyleix, Ballyroan, and Ballinakill	16	5	0
St. Stephen's Presbyterian, Bray	14	0	0
HolmPatrick Church, £8 11/8; Miss Johnston, £3	11	11	8
St. Mary's, Crumlin	11	10	2
St. Mary's, Drogheda, and Dulcek	9	7	6
Portarlington, Cloneybunke, and Ballykeen	8	16	2
Mariners' Church, Kingstown	8	0	0
Ragenalstown, Co. Carlow	8	0	0
Lirwan House	8	0	0
Sandymount Methodist	8	0	0
The Kill, Dublin	7	10	0
St. Brigid's Cathedral	7	0	0
St. Matthias's Church	7	0	0
Wicklow Parish	7	0	0
St. George's Parish, Dublin	7	0	0
Stradbally, Laois	6	13	0
Swords and Rhealfagnan	6	0	9
St. Aidan's	6	0	0
Mountmellick and Rosenallis	5	18	6
Shapelizod Parish	5	10	0
St. Augustine's	4	0	0
Waterville, Co. Kerry	3	5	9
Free Church	3	0	0
Nurney Church, Co. Carlow	2	7	0
Clonaslee (Leix)	2	2	0

INJUNCTION SUIT

Mr. Justice Black, in the High Court yesterday, granted, with costs, an application of Beasley's, Ltd., surgical appliance manufacturers, Newenham-on-Severn, Gloucestershire, for an injunction to restrain the Dublin Medical Stores, Ltd., Fownes's street, who agreed to pay £50 damages, from passing off as Messrs. Beasley's, Ltd., product, a rupture appliance not manufactured by them. It was stated that an appliance, not a Beasley one, had been sold as a Beasley one last July.

Mr. B. Kiernan, for Dublin Medical Supplies, Ltd., said that they were genuine manufacturers of surgical appliances. They did not know how the transaction occurred, but it seemed that the assistant concerned was anxious to make a sale.

OTHER EXCHANGES

MANCHESTER.—Bleachers 4/3-4/6 Dyers 7/6-8/-, "Slubbers" 4/6, Calicos 5/3-6/9, Coals 35/-35/6, Courtaulds 32/9-33/3, Dunlops 26/9-27/3, Cottons 27/-28/-, Velvet 5/3-5/6, Spinners 8/9-9/-; Henrys 11/-11/3, Turner and Neyall 67/6-70/-; Wall Paper Def. 26/6-27/6.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motors steady. Rovers fell to 18/-; Standard harder at 17/7½; Austin "A," 16/-; Dunlop, 27/-; Enfield, 18/-; Ford, 25/-; Leyland, 63/-; Lucas, 36/-; Morris, 33/-; Raleigh, 62/6; Triples, 33/-; Tube Investment, 82/9; Rolls, 85/-; Small Arms, 20/10½.

LONDON MONEY MARKET

Generally speaking, the supply of credit was just adequate to the market's needs at 1 p.c. Little difficulty was experienced in obtaining overnight money, and the market was assisted by having no payments for bills to make until after the turn of the month.

WOOL

BRADFORD.—Wool Control announces an advance, as from July 1, in issue prices of wool and tops required for export trade in yarns or fabrics. Increases are about 20 per cent. on current rates. For example, sixty-fours warp top advanced from 45 to 54 pence. Issue prices for home civilian trade unchanged to October 31.

T.C.D. ENTRANCE.
Classes for above and for all professional preliminary examinations at ROSSE COLLEGE, 65 Stephen's Gn. —(Advt.)

STOCK MARKET REPORTS

DUBLIN EXCHANGE

Market started off in quiet fashion on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, but despite the prevailing quietness local securities held up remarkably well. British Industrials closed on a dull note.

Home Government Funds attracted a good deal of attention. The Fourth National Loan, 4 p.c. Conversion Loan and 3½ p.c. National Security all lost fractions, but 4½ p.c. New Land Bonds advanced 30/- to 111½. Dublin 4½ p.c. 1955/77 made headway to 108½.

Banks presented a busy appearance. Bank of Ireland recovered a shade to 32¾, and Royals moved up to 114, while other issues held steady. Guinness Deferred enjoyed quiet support up to 91/-, but closed below the best at 90/9.

Rails showed little life, but Great Southern Deb. firmed up to 62½. Goulding Ord. tended higher, and Fyo (Ireland) Ord. hardened to 5/-. The rest of the Irish Industrial group made a steady showing.

Imperial Tobaccos moved up to 121/9, and Carreras B Ord. quoted 25/6. Shell Transport Ord. gained 1/-, at 44/3, and Assoc. Cement Ord. were dealt in at 47/-. Advices at the close reflected a downward tendency in values.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

(*) Odd lot. (a) Asked. (b) Bid.
(Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS.—3½ p.c. Second National Loan (1154), 115¾; do. Deed (1154), *1154; do. (under £200) (1154), 1154; 4½ p.c. Third Loan (112½), 112½; 3½ p.c. Fourth Loan (107¾), 107¾; 3¾ p.c. Financial Agreement (106), 106¾; 3¾ p.c. National Security (1034), 103¾; 4½ do. (under £200) (1034), 103½; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (116), 116; do. New (110), *111½; 3½ p.c. Consols (94½), 93½; 3½ p.c. War Loan (105½), 105⅛.

CORPORATION STOCKS.—Dublin 3½ p.c. 1926-80 (103), *103; do. 4½ p.c. 1939-77 (108), *108½.

BANKS.—Bank of Ireland (32½), *32¾; Hibernian (45/6), 45/6; Lloyd "A," 52/9; Munster and Leinster (107/6), 107/6; National (39/3), 39/3; Provincial Old (40/6), *40/6; do. New (40/6), 40/6; Royal (11¼), 11⅜.

BREWERIES.—Guinness Ord. (90/4½), 90/-, *91/-, 90/9; do. Pref. (154), *154.

RAILS, ETC.—Great Northern Ord. (21¼), 21¼; Great Southern Deb. (62⅝), *62½; Con. Arg. Ord., 5; Dublin Transport Ord. (18/6), 18/6.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS.—Alliance Gas Ord. (19/10½), 19/10½; Burke (E. and J.) Def. (0/4), 0/4; Cement Ord. (31/-), *31/-; Goodbody Pref. (22/-), 22/-; Goulding Ord. (21/-), 21/6; Irish Sugar Pref. (74/10½), 74/10½; Jacob (W. & R.), Ord. (Ireland) Pref. (22/6), *22/-; Parkes (J.) Deb. (20/1), *20/3; Fyo (Ireland) Ord. (4/10½), *5/-.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS.—Associated Cement Ord. 47/-; Carreras "B" Ord. 13/6; Imperial Tobacco Ord. (121/6), *121/9; Lever 7 p.c. Pref., 30/-; Shell Transport Ord. (43-), 44/3.

IRISH BANKS' RATE (changed October 26, 1939). 3 p.c.; Loans on Government Stock transferred, 3½ p.c.; Deposits, 1 p.c. The foregoing rates are subject to variation.

FOOD MARKETS

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN FISH.—Salmon and grilse, best 2/- to 2/3, secondary 1/6 to 1/10 per lb., and lobsters 5/- to 32/6 per 13.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—York cabbage, large 20/- to 60/-, small 5/- to 24/6 per load; cauliflowers, 6/- to 12/-, lettuce, 6d. to 2/- per dozen, rhubarb 2/- to 4/- per dozen bunches; onions 4/- to 4/6, scallions 2/- to 3/- per bunch; tomatoes 2/3 to 2/6 per lb., peas, 2/- to 3/- per chip, and strawberries 11d. to 1/9 per punnet.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Old crop a quiet sale at:—Tipperary Dates 7/-, Kerr's Pinks and Presidents 6/-, mixed whites 5/- per cwt. ex store.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Monday.—The market held steady during the morning, notwithstanding the more pessimistic tone of the war news. While buying at the outset was exceptionally timid, an improved demand materialised in the second hour for Rails and specialities.

The close was steady. The turnover totalled 262,000 shares, comprising 542 issues, of which 231 were higher and 136 were lower.

A membership of the New York Stock Exchange was sold for $21,000.—(Reuter.)

"SHELL" RESERVE VALUES

Three important disclosures are made by Lord Bearsted, chairman of the "Shell" Transport and Trading Company, in his review issued with the accounts for 1941. In the first place, he amplifies the statement appearing in the balance sheet, that "full allowances for depreciation and contingencies have been made." He reveals that, taking into account the reserves which have been made throughout the years, the valuation of properties appearing in the balance sheet after allowing for the losses which have taken place from the end of 1941 to date, is fully warranted. The balance sheet value of properties is £41,189,995, compared with £41,499,186 at the end of 1940. The second point relates to the Mexican oil negotiations. Lord Bearsted says that, so far as the Mexican Eagle Oil Company is concerned, no settlement terms have been discussed, and no negotiations are in progress. The third point is the discovery in Colombia of what has every indication of being a commercial oilfield.

FALL IN TOBACCOS

After a steadier opening London Stock Market yesterday became unsettled by the war news. Dealers were still cautious and inclined to play for safety, and business remained on a small scale. Gilt-edged securities managed to hold firm, but British Rails were dull. Southern Pref. losing 5/- at 62¾.

A relapse in Tobaccos was about the only outstanding movement in the Industrial market, "Bats" dropping 1/3. Imperials fell 9d. to 67/-. Distillers were the only bright spot in the Brewery section, being up 6d. at 74/3. Watney fell a similar amount, though some Stores issues were stimulated by the great Universal dividend —Marks being up 4½d.—Woolworth did not react similarly, and fell 4½d. to 89/10½. Cable issues further improved, but Shipping shares were dull.

In the Mining Market a number of Kaffirs went "ex div." Blyvoor were slightly improved, but Western Holdings failed to maintain an early gain. Libanon were down 1½d.

The statement by Lord Bearstead, the Shell-Transport chairman, that no negotiations are in progress for restoration of Mexican Eagle properties, had a very adverse effect, and the shares fell 10½d. Canadians also dropped slightly.

PRINCIPAL CHANGES

BRITISH FUNDS.—Local Loans 66+1½.

RAILS.—Southern Pref. Ord. 62¾—1; B. & I. Gt. Southern 7¾—1; "Canpac" 93⅝ —3⅛; Cent. Arg. 4 p.c. Deb. 32—1½.

INDUSTRIALS.—Austin 16/3+5d.; Brown (J.) 25/6—3d.; Brit. Celanese 9/3½—4½d.; B.A. Tobacco 76/8—1/3; Brazilian Traction 14⅜—⅛; Coast Lines 12/3—3d.; Cable and W. 60+1¼; do. Pref. 101+1; Courtaulds 55/—1½d.; Distillers 74/3+6d.; Sewing Cotton 27/6—6d.; Furness W. 22/10½—3d.; Gen. Electric 81/6—3d.; Hudson's Bay 23/—6d.; Imp. Tobacco 61/—4½; Int. Nickel 37⅜—1⅛; Mitchell and B. 78/9—6d.; Morris 35/+3d.; Marks and S. 34/10½+4½d.; Rolls Royce 89/4½—7½d.; Tobacco Secs. Trust 57/6—1/3; Triplex 31/1½+4½d.; Turner and N. 67/6—71d.; Utd. Molasses 26/9—3d.; White Tomkins 41/3; Watney 57/9—6d.; Woolworth 52/10½—4½d.

MINES.—Libanon 6/10½—1½d.; West Springs 28/9+9d.; Rand Mines 36/7½+1½d.; Chartered 21/-+3d.; Roan 12/1½—1½d.; Ashanti 39/4½—1½d.

OILS.—Anglo-Iranian 41/3—7½d.; Burmah 33/9—1/3; Can. Eagle 9/3—1½d.; Mex. Eagle 9/1½—10½d.

COMPANY NEWS

Hugh Moore and Alexanders.—Profit for year ended March 31, 1942, was £12,540 (against £7,295). To investment reserve £610 (against £850); to taxation £7,028 (against £2,500). Dividend of 7 p.c. on the 6 p.c. Participating Preference shares and dividend of 4 p.c. on the Ordinary shares. The Preference dividend has been in arrears since 1924 and no payment has been made on the Ordinary for at least ten years. The balance forward is increased from £1,591 to £4,243. It is becoming increasingly difficult to obtain supplies, and shareholders will realise that, having regard to the uncertainties of the future, it is unlikely that the results of the current year's trading will be as favourable as those of the past year, says the report. Meeting—Linen Hall, Dublin, July 17, at noon. Transfer books closed from July 6 to July 20 (inclusive).

Assam Contolidated Tea.—Profit £54,404 (against £32,004). Dividend 7½ p.c. on Ord. (against nil). Forward £18,542 (against £17,852).

Assoc. Paper Mills.—Interim dividend 4½ per cent. (same).

Associated British Engineering.—Net revenue up from £11,992 to £20,118. Ordinary dividend 5 p.c. for year. (Same.)

Barry and Staines.—Profit £65,524, compared with £107,889. Dividend on Ord. is down from 15 per cent. to 7½ per cent., the final payment of 5 per cent. comparing with last year's final of 7 per cent.

British Plaster Board.—Final of 15 per cent. is 5 per cent. more than last year's final, and as the interim paid in January last was doubled at 10 per cent. the total for the year ended March 31, 1942, at 25 per cent., compares with 15 per cent. in the twelve months ended March 31, 1941.

Colman (J. & J.).—Dividend 12½ per cent., making 16 per cent. (same).

Dickelia Ceylon Rubber.—Dividend 5 per cent., making 10 per cent. (same).

Elder Dempster Lines Holdings.—Net revenue, £128,075 (against £136,533).

Elder Dempster.—Net profit, £205,122 (against £217,520). Dividend maintained at 10 p.c. for year, with final payment of 6 p.c.

Great Universal Stores.—Final Ordinary dividend 7½ p.c., making 5 p.c. for year.

John Woodrow and Son.—Net profit £10,237. Dividend 6 p.c. on Ord. Forward £9,500 (against £9,310).

Kuala Muda Debs.—The July and January interest payments on the 7 p.c. Debentures of Kuala Muda Rubber Estates are to be postponed, and a moratorium declared on all payments up to January 1, 1944.

London Asiatic.—Net profit maintained at £166,127 (against £164,618). Year's distribution is maintained at 10 p.c. Forward shows a rise of £17,405 to £100,438.

Steel Brothers.—No final dividends for 1941 on the Deferred Ord. or 8 p.c. Preferred Ord. For 1940 8 per cent. was paid on the Preferred, and 30 per cent. (tax free) on Deferred.

William Baird and Co.—Final 11 p.c. on Ord., making 15 p.c. (same). Net profits lower on year at £155,183 (against £191,505).

DUBLIN BANKS' CLEARING

Week ended 27th June, 1942, £5,297,200 (increase of £12,100 on same period last year). Total 26 weeks £174,004,600 (increase of £19,519,600).

COMHAIRLE CHONNDAE BHAILE ATHA CLIATH (COUNTY DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL)

Notice of Poor Rate Having Been Made

Notice is hereby given that Poor Rates have been duly made on the property rateable thereto in the Collection Distric

AUCTIONS.

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SALE TO-DAY, at 2 p.m.

ELMHURST, TEMPLE GARDENS, RATHMINES. Detached, non-basement residence, with ornamental lawn and garden large enough for tennis. Three reception rooms, five bedrooms, dressingroom bathroom, maid's room. Electric light. Garage. Lease 999 years. Ground rent £15 P.L.V. £60.—BENNETT THOMPSON & EDWARDS, Solicitors, 12 Molesworth street.

38 SANDYCOVE ROAD, DUN LAOGHAIRE. Charming house, with pretty garden. Lease 60 years from 1904, subject to £22 P.L.V. £32. Possession.—NOONEY & DOWDALL, Solicitors, Mary street, Mullingar.

7-8-29 CLARINDA PARK, EAST, DUN LAOGHAIRE. Executor's Sale. In three lots. Nos. 7-8 sold subject to £10 12s. 6d. each. No. 29 £10. Possession of No. 8—on view to-day and Sunday, 4 to 7.30. No. 7 let at £110, landlord paying rates, and 29 at £112, landlord paying rates.—P. C. L. HALPENNY, Solicitor, 96 Up. George's street, Dun Laoghaire.

94-95-95A HARCOURT STREET. ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT. This well-situated property, within a few doors of the corner of Stephen's Green, is held under two leases, each for 900 years, from 25th March, 1793, at the yearly rents of £6 and £14 now adjusted to £17 12s 8d per annum for both.

No. 94 is a private house, let to yearly tenant at £34 per annum, tenant paying rates, P.L.V. £23. No. 95 comprises shop and three floors over. Shop let at £65, first and third floors let to three tenants, whose rents amount to £67 12s. 0d. per annum, and rooms on second floor vacant. P.L.V. £40.

No. 95A is a lock-up shop, let on quarterly tenancy at a rent amounting £19 19s. 8d. per annum, tenant paying rates. P.L.V. £12. TOTAL RENTAL, £186 11s. 8d.

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IN OUR SALE PADDOCKS, 63/65 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,

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AT Irish Multiwheel Transport, Ltd., Lr. Erne street—A nice selection of V.8's, Bedfords and Recs, all l.w.b. and new tyres, from 6 tons to 30 cwt. Inspection invited. 'Phone 61565.

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SECONDHAND Austin Heavy 12-4 cylinder, or Austin 16-6 cylinder, or Humber Car; must be reasonable.—Hendron Bros. (Dublin), Ltd., Denmark street.

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BEAUTIFULLY built & sprung Tub Trap, fit 14-2 to 15-2, rubber tyres; very smart; almost new condn.; £40. Box 'Phone 21487.

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STABLING Wtd., 1, 2 horses; 8th city; state position, conditions & price. Box K 579.

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LOST at Zoo Dance, 18th June, elbow length Skunk Cape; reward. Box K 603.

VALUABLE young Cat found, Wednesday eve., Palmerston rd.; description. — 41 Park Drive.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

ROYAL NATIONAL HOSPITAL FOR CONSUMPTION FOR IRELAND.

Lady Secretary, with knowledge of accounts, Required for Dublin office. Salary commencing, £200.

State age, qualifications and copies of three references, to reach me before 9.0th July)

Addressed to Chairman, 13 South Frederick street, Dublin.

CHARTERED Accountants (Glasgow) have a vacancy for Qualified Assistant or one with Accountancy experience (exempt Inter.); salary, age, qualifications and salary, etc., Box 260, Peter A. Menzies, Advertising Agent, 1111 Ballo street, Glasgow.

COMPANION Housekeeper (Daily) Wtd.; semi-invalid; small flat, Sandycove district. Box K 597.

HOUSEBOY under 20, Wtd. for Dublin Fire Service Flats, 28 Upr. Pembroke st.

LARGE manufacturing firm Requires expd. Shorthand Typist; state age and full partics. Box K 594.

WTD., Expd. Waiter for Dublin Club. Reply, with copies, Box K 472.

WTD., Expd. (L.C.) as family; good plain cook (Esse) and help light housework; country; comfortable home; state age, wages, and send refs. Box Z 5959, Hedges.

WTD., Protestant Mother's Help, capable and trustworthy, Boy 2 yrs; send copies of refs. and state salary expd. Apply Box Z 5968, Help.

WTD., Gardener (age 20-30), for Rathgar district; live in; must have good knowledge of vegetables; state wages & refs. Box K 592.

WTD. for Midlands, Gardener, expd.; wages 30/- plus 2/6 fuel allowance, free house, milk & veg. Box K 574.

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YOUNG Lady Wtd. (Protestant), 2 till 6 daily, one boy, 5½ yrs.; Merrion avenue; state experience and salary. Box 971, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

3 FULLY qualified Journeymen Motor Mechanics Reqd for engine fitting; must have thorough knowledge of Morris Commercial and Bedford engines.—W. H. Reay and Co., Ltd., 249-259 Ormeau rd., Belfast.

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ASSISTANT Chef or all-round Cook, hotel or private, disengaged. Box K 546.

A WAITRESS and Waitress disengaged. Box K 530.

BOOKKEEPER, Shorthand Typist (21), 2 yrs. experience desires post. Box K 585.

BOOKKEEPER, Shorthand Typist, General Clerical Assistant; highly recommended, experienced. 'Phone 71648.—Miss Emerson's Cottage, Howth.

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MARRIED Man Protestant Gardener, Genl. Man, Wife Cook, desire situation together; highly recommended. Box K 467.

SCHOOL Matron, Protestant, desires Holiday engagement; Dublin vacs preferred. Box K 488.

WELL educated, young Man, 12 yrs. experience, desires position as accountancy assistant. Box K 606.

WAITRESS disengaged; excellent refs. Box K 587.

WAITRESS disengaged. Box K 556.

YOUNG Lady wants work; capable, riding, farm & housework, typing accs., gardening. Box K 512.

YOUNG Lady desires position as Companion Help; 3 miles post. Box K 534.

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1st Class Head Chef, excel. refs., long experience, permanency. Box K 549.

1st Class Waitress, very highest Class Car, greatest excellent refs. Box K 598.

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58 LR. MOUNT ST.

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ANTIQUE FURNITURE, SILVER, CARPETS, ETC.

Comprising a splendid collection of well-made Mahogany, Walnut, and Rosewood Furniture, Mahogany Bagatelle Table, SILVER includes a set of Georgian Irish "Kings Pattern" Table Cutlery, etc.

Admission by Ticket, 1/-. Terms: Cash and 5% Fees.

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THIS DAY AT 1 O'CLOCK.

GAVIN LOW, LTD.

TO-MORROW (Wednesday),

AT 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN, SALE OF STORE CATTLE OF ALL CLASSES AND 3 LICENSED PEDIGREE HEREFORD BULLS,

Commencing with Bulls,

AT 11 A.M. SHARP.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

VIEW TO-DAY, 10 TO 5.

SALE TO-MORROW, AT THE PREMISES, DETACHED RESIDENCE, POSSESSION,

OBANI, 21 GARVILLE RD., RATHGAR.

Also the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Old Blanket Chest, Rosewood Sofa Table, Outdoor and Miscellaneous Effects.

Sale of House at Noon; Furniture following. Admission to Sale, 1/-.

RYAN & O'BRIEN, Solicitors, 35 St. Stephen's Green.

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Auctioneers and Valuers,
10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY.

34 LANSDOWNE ROAD, DUBLIN.

FURNITURE.

AUCTION SALE THIS DAY.

12 Noon Sharp.

GARVEY & GOOD, M.I.A.A.

AER RIANTA TEORANTA.
DUBLIN AIRPORT, COLLINSTOWN, CO. DUBLIN.

AUCTION OF HAY,

This Day on the Lands at 3 o'clock, 60 COCKS OF WELL-SAVED HAY.

LAURENCE CUFFE & SONS,
LTD., M.I.A.A.,
12 OLD CABRA ROAD, DUBLIN.

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ALL Professional and University Preliminaries Oral and Correspondence.—McGuire's College, Gardiner's Row.

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GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED.

MEDICAL, NURSING, ETC.

ASSISTANT Reqd. shortly; city Pharmacy; 6-8 wks., Dublin expr.; full partics. Box K 596.

PH. Chemist Reqd. Locum, fortnight from 1st July 14, border town; salary, refs. Box Z 5965, Chemist.

PROTESTANT Nurse dis., hospital & private exp.—Mulberry Lodge, Main st., Donnybrook.

QUALIFIED Daily Nurse Attendant (Protestant), care convalescent lady; light duties; state full partics., salary and expr. Box K 585.

WTD., Nurse Attendant for invalid lady; L.C.; country. Box Z 5919, Nurse.

WTD., Nurse Attendant for invalid lady; city. Box K 578.

WTD., Immediately, Temporary Attendant (Protestant); V.A.D. might suit; good refs. Box K 409.

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CASH Advances, £25 to £5,000, with or without security.—The Dublin Finance Corporation, Ltd., 6 Westmoreland st., Dublin. 'Phone 21487.

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A YOUNG Outdoor Genl. Reqd. at once. Apply, with copies refs., to 15 Merton Drive, Sandford rd., Ranelagh.

COOK (good) and House Parlourmaid or Married Couple; personal refs. essential; 3 in family; maids stay well; on bus route. Write fully, stating last wages, to Mrs. Chaldecott, Summerdale House, nr. Carnforth.

COOK Genl. & H. P.maid; some good training. Dun Laoghaire. Box K 599.

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GOOD Housemaid or H. P.maid Reqd. for C. England, sale area, small Catholic family; good wages.—Mrs. Coulston, Hawkshead, Bolton-le-Sands, Carnforth, Lancashire.

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